No. 2013/137

Thursday, 18 July 2013

Journal

of the United Nations

Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Thursday, 18 July 2013

Security Council

10:00 — 7004th meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

   Thirty-second report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2013/377)

(continued on page 2)

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

An informal meeting of the plenary of the General Assembly on the Nelson Mandela International Day will be held *today*, 18 July 2013, at 10:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)[1]. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 3 July 2013, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. An updated programme of the meeting is available by *clicking here*. [webcast]

[1]The Trusteeship Council Chamber will serve as an overflow room.

6,392 users have already subscribed to the *Journal*. Take advantage of the e-subscription and receive the *Journal* early morning! www.undocs.org

The *Journal* has now 12,745 followers on Twitter. Join them and be the first to be notified once the next issue is available! www.twitter.com/Journal_UN_ONU

5,605 users like the *Journal* on Facebook. Look for our page! Journal of the United Nations

Scan QR Code (Quick Response Code) at the top right corner to download today's *Journal*.

13-39558

Think Green!

Please recycle

Morning[1]	**Consultations of the whole (closed)**	**Consultations Room**
	UNOCI (S/2013/377)	
	Somalia/Eritrea Sanctions Committee (S/2013/413)	
	Other matters	
15:00	**7005th meeting (closed)**	**Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)**

1. **Adoption of the agenda**
2. **Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B**

African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7004th meeting of the Council.

Security Council

The Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations of the Security Council will hold a meeting on the "Use of modern technology in United Nations peacekeeping" on Friday, 19 July 2013, at 10:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The meeting will feature briefings by the Secretariat and an interactive dialogue with troop- and police-contributing countries. All TCCs and PCCs are invited to attend.

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Tuesday, 23 July 2013, in the Security Council Chamber, in connection with the agenda item "The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406), no earlier than *today*, 18 July. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

Economic and Social Council
Substantive session of 2013

The Economic and Social Council is holding its substantive session of 2013, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva (1–26 July 2013). For further information on the daily programme and summaries of the meetings, please consult the *Journal* of the Economic and Social Council on the Council's PaperSmart Portal and website. Delegations planning to present statements at the session are kindly requested to submit electronic versions (e-mail ECOSOC2013@unog.ch).

Protocol announcement

The Protocol and Liaison Service will hold a briefing for delegations on a new online accreditation system "eAccreditation" and on updated procedure of general registration of permanent staff members of missions/offices, on Monday, 22 July 2013, at 15:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). *Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

10:00 to 12:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

15:00 to 18:00	272nd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 14:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)
	Executive meeting	

Human Rights Council

Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances
Hundredth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Conference of States Parties
Sixth session

10:00 to 13:00	3rd meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4 (NLB)
	Matters related to the implementation of the Convention [item 5]	
	(c) Round table 2: Disability-inclusive development in national, regional and international processes	

15:00 to 18:00 — **4th meeting** [webcast] — **Conference Room 4 (NLB)**

Matters related to the implementation of the Convention [item 5]

(d) Informal panel: Community-based rehabilitation and habilitation for an inclusive society

[Delegations planning to deliver statements at the session are requested to submit electronic versions of their statements to papersmart@un.org, *at least two hours* in advance of the delivery.]

[Background documentation is contained in documents CRPD/CSP/2013/2, CRPD/CSP/2013/3 and CRPD/CSP/2013/4.]

[The list of side events on the occasion of the sixth session of the Conference of States Parties can be consulted by *clicking here*.]

[For further information concerning the Conference of States Parties, please contact Mr. Guozhong Zhang, Secretariat for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) (e-mail zhangg@un.org); or visit United Nations Enable website (*click here*). Kindly take note that the *Journal* is accessible to blind and visually impaired users via screen readers.]

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

Thirty-second session

There will be closed meetings of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 18 July 2013, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Other meetings

The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations. The meetings under this header are closed.

Thursday, 18 July 2013

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00 — **Closed meeting** — **Conference Room C (CB)**

Other activities

The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations.

Thursday, 18 July 2013

WTO/UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy

From 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room S-2727 (Secretariat Building).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For registration, please visit *click here*. For further information, please contact Ms. Claire Chaeryung Lee, UNITAR (e-mail nyo@unitar.org).]

Briefing on "BYND 2015 Global Youth Summit (Costa Rica, 9–11 September 2013)" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Costa Rica, in conjunction with the International Telecommunication Union (ITU))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 8 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Carol Arce, Permanent Mission of Costa Rica (e-mail carce@missioncrun.org ; tel. 1 (212) 986-6373).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Thursday, 18 July 2013

Press Briefing Room (S-237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

General debate

Member States are advised that any changes to the level of representation for the general debate of the sixty-eighth session should be communicated to the General Assembly Affairs Branch, *as soon as possible* (Ms. Antonina Poliakova, Secretariat Building, 30th Floor (room S-3082; or e-mail poliakova@un.org)).

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 17 September 2013, and the general debate will open on Tuesday, 24 September (resolution 57/301 (A/RES/57/301)).

In accordance with resolution 66/124 (A/RES/66/124), the High-level Meeting on the Realization of the Millennium Development Goals and Other Internationally Agreed Development Goals for Persons with Disabilities will be held on Monday, 23 September. In accordance with resolution 65/1 (A/RES/65/1), the special event in 2013 to follow up efforts made towards achieving the Millennium Development Goals will be held on Wednesday, 25 September. In accordance with resolution 67/39 (A/RES/67/39), the High-level Meeting on Nuclear Disarmament will be held on Thursday, 26 September. In accordance with resolution 67/219 (A/RES/67/219), the High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development will be held on Thursday, 3, and Friday, 4 October.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 13 February 2013 in document A/68/50*. The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 15 June 2013 in document A/68/100.

The draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/67/922, Section II.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-seventh session

Announcements

The agenda of the sixty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/251/Add.1 (see document A/67/252* for the allocation of items). Annotations can be found in document A/67/100 and A/67/100/Add.1.

The following agenda items remain for consideration during the sixty-seventh session, apart from organizational matters and items that may have to be considered by operation of the rules of procedure of the Assembly: items 9, 11, 13 to 15, 20 (a) and (h), 30, 31, 33, 39, 40, 43 to 48, 54, 63 (a) and (b), 70 (a) to (c), 74, 94 (b), 106, 107, 110 (a) and (b), 111 (f) , 112, 113, 115 to 117, 118 (a) and (b), 119, 120, 121 (a), (b), (i), (p), (q), (s) and (v), 122, 124 to 126, 128 (a) to (r), 129 to 157, 158 (a) and (b), and 159 to 164.

Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January–16 September 2013). Meetings will be announced in the *Journal* when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please call 1 (212) 963-5063 (room S-3082). A tentative schedule of General Assembly meetings is also available at the following address: www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings/67schedule.shtml.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services
Informal consultations

The Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS will hold an informal consultation on the financing of differentiated physical presence, on *Thursday, 25 July 2013, from 11:15 to 12:45, in Conference Room 5 (NLB)*. Interested delegations are invited to attend.

The Executive Board will hold also an informal consultation on the the UNDP strategic plan, 2014-2017, on Friday, 26 July 2013, from 11:30 to 13:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming other meetings

The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations. The meetings under this header are closed.

Seventh General Meeting between representatives of the United Nations system and the Caribbean Community

Monday, 22 July 2013, from 09:30 to 10:00 (opening ceremony), and from 10:00 to 13:15 and from 14:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room 3 (CB); and

Tuesday, 23 July 2013, from 09:30 to 12:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

Group of Eastern European States (at the expert level)

Friday, 26 July 2013, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room A (CB).

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2013
United Nations Office at Geneva
(1–26 July 2013)

The annotated agenda of the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council is contained in document E/2013/100. For further information, please consult the website of the Council (*click here*).

List of speakers

The lists of speakers for all segments are indicated below. If no specific reference is made to a list of speakers, it implies that no such list is being maintained. The lists are open for inscription. The deadlines for inscription are indicated in the relevant paragraphs below. Requests for inscription on the lists of speakers should be sent, *in writing*, indicating the full name and title of speaker, to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Celia Syyap (e-mail syyap@un.org; or fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The time limit set for statements under the general debate of the high-level segment is seven minutes and five minutes for all other segments.*

General segment (18-25 July)
[Items 6–15 of the provisional agenda]

Lists of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of the items under the segment. Inscription on the list of speakers will close by 17:00 on the day before the general discussion of the item.

A detailed programme of the general segment is available on the website of the Council (*click here*).

Conclusion of work (26 July)

The Council will conclude the work of its substantive session of 2013 on Friday, 26 July.

Registration and accreditation

Information regarding registration and accreditation for the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council is available on the website of the Council (*click here*).

List of participants

Delegations should send, *in writing*, on official letterhead, the names and titles of the members of their delegations (please indicate clearly the head and alternate head of delegation) as they would like them to appear in the official list of participants. Please send this composition of delegation to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Mary Constable (e-mail constablem@un.org; room S-1275; or by fax 1 (212) 963-5935)), *as soon as possible*. The list of participants will be issued as part of the official documents of the session.

Side events

To consult the list of side events on the occasion of the general segment of the 2013 substantive session of the Council, please *click here*.

Economic and Social Council PaperSmart Portal

The 2013 substantive session of the Council will be served in a PaperSmart manner. The official documentation of the Council will be available electronically via the PaperSmart Portal in all official languages.

Delegations planning to present statements at the session are kindly requested to submit electronic versions (e-mail ECOSOC2013@unog.ch). The intended agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. These statements will remain embargoed until delivery of the statement and then posted on the PaperSmart Portal.

There will be no circulation of hard copies of documents, including statements. However, a print-on-demand service will be made available, via which delegates can request for a hard copy at the documents distribution counter located at door 40, or by the print-on-demand option on the PaperSmart Portal. Delegates will be able to e-mail any document or statement to themselves from the Portal. No log in will be required to access the Portal.

Delegations and participants are encouraged to bring their laptops, tablets other mobile devices to the meetings in order to access information and documents electronically.

Survey

The Division of Conference Management (DCM) of the United Nations Office at Geneva has prepared a survey for the 2013 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council. The survey aims at assessing the PaperSmart aspects of the session. Delegations and participants are encouraged to participate in the survey being conducted for this session. The survey is available in the six official languages. The link to the survey is as follows: http://conf.unog.ch/papersmart. Over the course of the session of the Council, Conference Room Officers will also be circulating in the meeting rooms to seek input from delegations and participants for the survey.

Back issues of the Journal of the Economic and Social Council

Back issues of the *Journal* of the 2013 substantive session of the Council, in English and French, are accessible on the Official Document System (ODS), using the symbol E/2013/OD.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in room DC2-1142, in English, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing the Library Training Calendar (*click here*); or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Advanced research using subscription e-resources (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Today, 18 July 2013.

Overview of the Dag Hammarskjöld Library resources and databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Thursday, 25 July 2013.

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States each year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The 2013 language-specific informational meetings will be held in August, in Conference Room D (CB), according to the following schedule:

Tuesday, 27 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Arabic*;

Tuesday, 27 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Chinese*;

Wednesday, 28 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *English*;

Wednesday, 28 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *French*;

Thursday, 29 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Russian*; and

Thursday, 29 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Spanish*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Urgent appeal for voluntary contributions

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by individuals and institutions in 192 Member States of the United Nations.

As the United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is funded by voluntary contributions, the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs is seeking contributions from Member States in order to continue these activities. For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail avl@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5284).

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 17 July 2013

Security Council

7003rd meeting

Protection of civilians in armed conflict

Protection of journalists

Letter dated 3 July 2013 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the United States Mission to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2013/393)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Austria, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, the Czech Republic, Ecuador, Greece, India, Israel, Japan, Lithuania, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Qatar, Senegal, Sweden, Switzerland, the Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey, Ukraine and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Ms. Kathleen Carroll, Mr. Mustafa Haji Abdinur, Mr. Richard Engel and Mr. Ghaith Abdul-Ahad to participate in this meeting.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations.

The Deputy Secretary-General, Mr. Jan Eliasson, made a statement.

The Council heard briefings by Ms. Kathleen Carroll, Mr. Mustafa Haji Abdinur, Mr. Richard Engel and Mr. Ghaith Abdul-Ahad.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Togo, China, Australia, France, the Russian Federation, the Republic of Korea, Guatemala, Luxembourg, Azerbaijan, Rwanda, Morocco, Pakistan and Argentina, and by the President, speaking in her capacity as the representative of the United States.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Brazil, New Zealand, Israel, Chile and Lithuania.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting (speaking on behalf of the European Union and its Member States; the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina; and the EFTA country Liechtenstein, member of the European Economic Area; as well as Ukraine and Georgia, which aligned themselves with this statement).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Canada, Austria, Costa Rica and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The meeting was suspended.

Upon resumption, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Uganda, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Switzerland, Malaysia, Botswana, Colombia, Greece, Poland, the Netherlands, the Syrian Arab Republic, India, Senegal, the Czech Republic, Sweden (speaking on behalf of the Nordic countries (Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden)), Ecuador, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Japan, Ukraine, Qatar, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Uganda and Turkey.

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Conference of States Parties

Sixth session

1st–2nd meetings — The summary of the 1st and 2nd meetings of the Conference of States Parties will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2013/138).

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Wednesday, 17 July 2013

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-fifth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3181st meeting

Tribute to the memory of the late Sir Ian Sinclair

Statements were made by members of the Commission to pay tribute to the memory of the late Sir Ian Sinclair.

Formation and evidence of customary international law [item 8]

The Special Rapporteur, Mr. Michael Wood, introduced his first report on the topic (A/CN.4/663). The Commission began its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's first report.

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2013
United Nations Office at Geneva

Humanitarian affairs segment

35th meeting

Special economic, humanitarian and disaster relief assistance [item 5]

The Council continued its consideration of the agenda item.

Panel discussion on "Promoting humanitarian innovation for improved response"

The Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Masood Khan (Pakistan), made a statement.

The panel discussion was moderated by Ms. Valerie Amos, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, who also made a statement.

Presentations were made by the following panellists: Ms. Wendy Harman, Information and Situational Awareness, Domestic Disaster Services, American Red Cross, Washington, D.C., United States; Ms. Elizabeth Rasmusson, Assistant Executive Director, World Food Programme, Rome, Italy; and Mr. Mohamed Osman, Managing Director, Star FM, Nairobi, Kenya.

An interactive discussion ensued, during which the panellists responded to the comments made and questions raised by the representatives of Haiti, the United Kingdom, Burkina Faso, Sweden, Japan, the Dominican Republic and the United States, as well as by the observers for Finland, Norway, Kenya and Switzerland.

The observer for the European Union and the representatives of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees and the International Telecommunication Union also participated in the interactive discussion.

Following the interactive discussion, the Vice-President of the Council (Pakistan) made a statement.

The Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator also made a statement.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Vice-President of the Council (Pakistan).

A statement was also made by the Secretary.

36th meeting

Special economic, humanitarian and disaster relief assistance [item 5]

The Council continued its general discussion and heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan, Belarus, the Dominican Republic, China, Brazil, Colombia, the Netherlands and the Republic of Korea, as well as by the observer for Finland, Norway, the Syrian Arab Republic, Luxembourg, Israel, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Sri Lanka.

Statements were also made by the observers for the Sovereign Military Order of Malta, the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, the International Committee of the Red Cross, the International Organization for Migration and the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation, as well as by the representatives of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, the World Health Organization, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Population Fund.

A statement was also made by the representative of World Vision International, a non-governmental organization in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council.

The Council thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 5.

A statement was made by the Vice-President (Pakistan).

Action on draft resolution E/2013/L.20

The Council had before it draft resolution E/2013/L.20, submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Masood Khan (Pakistan), on the basis of informal consultations.

The Council was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted draft resolution E/2013/L.20.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 5.

The Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator made concluding remarks.

The Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Masood Khan (Pakistan), made concluding remarks and declared the humanitarian affairs segment closed.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Vice-President (Pakistan).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons. New York, 28 September 1954

Accession: Nicaragua (15 July 2013)

Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 10 December 1984

Objection to the reservation made upon accession by the United Arab Emirates: Netherlands (16 July 2013)

International Cocoa Agreement, 2010. Geneva, 25 June 2010

Accession: Nicaragua (15 July 2013)

General Information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *July 2013* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Egypt
His Excellency Mootaz Ahmadein Khalil

Asia-Pacific States:
Solomon Islands
His Excellency Collin Beck

Eastern European States:
Poland
His Excellency Ryszard Stanislaw Sarkowicz

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Uruguay
His Excellency José Luis Cancela

Western European and other States:
Iceland
Her Excellency Gréta Gunnarsdóttir

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (room S-2472; tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; fax 1 (917) 367-0406).

Web of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc/.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Emergency information and updates

Emergency information and updates can be obtained on the United Nations Headquarters Emergency Information website at https://delegateinfo.un.int. The website also offers the option of subscription to e-mail alerts. In addition, a hotline number for updates during weather emergencies or other urgent situations can be accessed by calling 1 (212) 963-9800.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations. The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly contained in document A/67/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be also sent to gaab@un.org or dpu-dgacm@un.org, so as to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Let United Nations documents come to you: e-subscription

A simple and fast alternate way to access United Nations parliamentary documents electronically is available through the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management's e-subscription service at http://undocs.org/. Based on RSS feeds (Really Simple Syndication), the latest edition of the *Journal* and parliamentary documents issued daily at Headquarters can be accessed readily on a computer or hand-held smart device.

Sign-up is free and easy by visiting the e-subscription page at http://undocs.org. An overview of all documents with the options "e-mail" or "RSS" next to each document category is located there. After sign-up, documents will be sent to the subscriber via e-mail as soon as they are made available.

Comments, questions and suggestions are invited to be sent to dgacm-feedback@un.org.

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

Kindly take note that the English and French versions of the *Journal* are accessible to blind and visually impaired users via screen readers.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcome. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to dgacm-feedback@un.org.

Websites

Department for General Assembly and Conference Management
www.un.org/Depts/DGACM/

Presidency of the General Assembly
www.un.org/ga/president

General Assembly
www.un.org/en/ga

Department of Political Affairs
www.un.org/depts/dpa

Presidency of the Security Council
www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/

Security Council
www.un.org/en/sc

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
www.un.org/sc/1540/

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html

Economic and Social Council
www.un.org/en/ecosoc/

Office for Disarmament Affairs
www.un.org/disarmament/

United Nations Treaty Collection
http://treaties.un.org/

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law
www.un.org/law/avl/

Dag Hammarskjöld Library
www.un.org/depts/dhl/

International Court of Justice
www.icj-cij.org/

Journal of the United Nations
www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp

United Nations Press Releases
www.un.org/en/unpress/index.asp

United Nations Webcast
www.unmultimedia.org/tv/webcast/index.html

Yearbook of the United Nations
http://unyearbook.un.org

UN Chronicle
www.un.org/chronicle

[redacted]

With the exception of sales publications and public information material, hyperlinked official documents listed hereunder may be accessed through the Official Document System of the United Nations http://documents.un.org in the electronic version of the present Journal.

e-subscription www.undocs.org

Think Green! — Please consider the number of pages before printing.

Symbol	*Main title*
General Assembly	**Documents**
	Sixty-eighth session
A/68/114	Item 100 (e) of the preliminary list — Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly — United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *11 pages*
A/68/118	Item 99 (m) of the preliminary list — General and complete disarmament — Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
A/68/135	Item 120 of the preliminary list — Follow-up to the commemoration of the two-hundredth anniversary of the abolition of the transatlantic slave trade — Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade: status of the United Nations Trust Fund for Partnerships — Permanent Memorial — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

Security Council	**Documents**
S/2013/10/Add.26	Summary statement by the Secretary-General of matters of which the Security Council is seized and of the stage reached in their consideration [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*
S/2013/417	Letter dated 9 July 2013 from the Permanent Representatives of Finland and Germany to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
S/2013/413	Letter dated 12 July 2013 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *487 pages*
S/2013/419	Report of the Secretary-General on children and armed conflict in the Philippines [A C E F R S] — *15 pages*
S/2013/421	Letter dated 15 July 2013 from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*
S/Agenda/6999	Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
S/Agenda/7000	Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
S/Agenda/7001	Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — 1 page

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

S/AC.49/2013/14 Note verbale dated 1 July 2013 from the Permanent Mission of Lithuania to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

Economic and Social Council

Official Records

E/2013/43–E/C.19/2013/25
Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues — Report on the twelfth session (20–31 May 2013) — Supplement No. 23 [A C E F R S] — *32 pages*

Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues

E/2013/43–E/C.19/2013/25
Report on the twelfth session (20–31 May 2013) — Supplement No. 23 [A C E F R S] — *32 pages*

Economic and Social Council

Documents

Substantive session of 2013

E/2013/L.23 Item 7 (g) — Coordination, programme and other questions: tobacco or health — Armenia, Austria, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Turkmenistan, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America: draft resolution — United Nations Interagency Task Force on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable Diseases [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

E/2013/L.24 Item 9 — Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations — Algeria, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Cuba, Ecuador, Nicaragua, Syrian Arab Republic and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) : draft resolution — Support to Non-Self-Governing Territories by the specialized agencies and international institutions associated with the United Nations [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

Communications to the Editor

Material for inclusion in the *Journal* should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Sylvie Deschênes (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-6776; room CB-0304 (Conference Building)).

Office opens at 15:00.

Published at Headquarters, New York, by the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management.